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In re Application of:

Gary E. Horst

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Filed: October 3, 2000

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 and COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.104(E)

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Submitted herein is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312, including amendment to the claims, and Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance. Payment of the issue fee is being filed concurrently herewith. The undersigned representative submits that the filing of the Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 is proper. (M.P.E.P. § 714.16.)

The following is in response to the Notice of Allowability dated July 18, 2003 and is being timely filed concurrently with the payment of the Issue fee. No fee is believed due. However, the undersigned representative requests any extension of time that may be deemed necessary to further the prosecution of this application. In addition, the undersigned

representative authorizes the Commissioner to charge any additional fees that may be required for any reason, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-02508/10831.0027.000000.

AMENDMENT

In response to the Notice of Allowability dated July 18, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- I. Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.
- II. Remarks Regarding Amendments to the Claims begin on page 9 of this paper.
- III. Comments On Statement Of Reasons For Allowance are presented in this paper beginning on page 9.

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